Previous references.
S.R. 145-06.
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Later references.
S.R. 129-10-2.
S.R. 106-1481-3

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Serial Nos. 1-6a.

Part B. for ~~April~~ May 1911.

SUBJECT.

Enhancement of Tree Tax on toddy trees

1. From The Excise Comr no 5987 Dt 19.1.11.
Proposes that the tree tax on ~~da~~ toddy yielding trees in this state be raised from the next year and that it may be recovered from the licensees in two equal instalments, the 1st on the date of application and the second half on the 1st of the following third month instead of the present system.

2. To the Excise Comr, Comptroller ~~& Dly Comrs of Dts~~.
G. R. S. 58
No H 4980-9027-5-1911.
Prescribes the new rates of tree tax in supersession of the existing rates ~~of~~ with effect from the 1st July 191

approves of the proposal to collect the tree tax
two equal instalments, the first on the date
application and the 2nd ~~and~~ on the 1st of the follow
third month. Adds that the contractors who have
purchased toddy shops on 3 or 2 years' leases m
be given the option of keeping on their present
subject to the payment of the enhanced tree
or of going it up at the end of the current off
year.

The Compiler mysore Gazette. no H 4990 D 7
Notifies the prescribing of revised rates of tr
tax with effect from 1.7.1914.

To The 7. A. Resident. no 2085 D 27-3-14.

Intimates the above.

rom the Excise Comr. no 8035 D 6-4-1914.
Invites attention to Gjo. no H 14652 / SR 179 to 2 D 4-4
approving the draft notification for the
sale of excise privileges for 1914-12 and
points out that while in the Gjo. of 27-3-14
the 2nd instalment of tree tax is made
payable on the '1st day of the Third month'
following the date of application, the
sale notification as approved puts it
down as the 'last' day of the 2nd month
requests that necessary correction slips
may be issued at an early date.

The excise Comr. & Comptroller & Offg Comr. of
no H 5057-66 D 18-4-14

ects that the second instalment of the
e tax be recovered on the last day

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NOTES.

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FILE HEADING.

Enhancement of tree Tax on toddy trees.

From

The Excise Commr in Mysore.

No. 5987 Dated 15/1/11 Received 23/1/11

Diary No. 2940 Enclos. 2 Spare Copies — Serial No. 1.

BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER.

Proposes that the tree tax on toddy yielding trees in this State be raised from the next year and that it may be recovered from the licensees in two equal instalments, the 1st on the date of application and the second half on the 1st of the following third month, instead of one third & two thirds as at present.

NOTES AND ORDERS.

The Excise Commr proposes to increase from the next official year the tree-tax on toddy yielding trees so as he considers that the State can well sustain a further enhancement. The present rates were sanctioned

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by Govt in GO no. Rg 2435-4 GR 145-06-1 of the 15th June 1907. The rates in the bordering districts of the Madras Presidency are also given in the paper under disposal. The present rates & those proposed are as follows:—

	The present rates		Proposed ones.
Date:	R1-4-0	}	R1-12-0
Palmyra	R1-9-6	}	
Cocoanut	Rs 2-2-0	}	Rs 2-8-0.
Bagani	Rs 2-00.	}	
Dadasal	R0-8-6		R0-12-0.

2. The Excise Commr also proposes that the tree-tax be paid in two equal instalments, the 1st being paid on the date of the application and the 2nd half on the 1st of the following third month.

3. It is also represented that this arrangement does not affect the licensees who have purchased shops on three years' lease as it is proposed that they will be given the option of keeping on their present lease or in the case of their throwing it up the shops will be resold by auction.

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4. Early orders are solicited as the rates have to be brought into force from July next.
Subd for orders.
Mr 83.
27/1/11.
27/1/11
5. The last Enhancement of the tax in Mysore was ordered in June 1909 in connection with the retrenchment order and came into effect from 1st July 1909. Like the ~~Excess~~ The immediate effect of this Enhancement was a falling off in Shop rentals to the Extent of Rs 155,000/- in the year 1909-08. This large decrease was no doubt ~~the~~ due in part to the apprehensions of the Contractors that there might be a decrease in the Consumption of Toddy The next year showed a substantial recovery viz of Rs 112,000/- and the figures for the last official year ('09-10) show a further small improvement of about Rs 3,000/-. But they are yet ~~fall~~ short of the figures for 1906-09 (the year immediately preceding the Enhancement) by nearly Rs 30,000/- This is not a matter for regret as the

* These figures have been taken from the Annual Reports of the Inspector of Excise. The figures for 1910-11 show a slight increase in both the Incidence per head of population and the Consumption.

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malnad parts of
territory (Hassan, Kadur and Shimoga)
bordering on South Canara.

8. To prevent sudden fluctuations in revenue Consequent on misapprehensions in the minds of the Contractors we may perhaps Enhance the tax on date ~~by~~ only by four annas instead of ~~the~~ eight annas proposed by the Excise Commr.

9. An Enhancement of 8 annas is also Suggested in respect of Bagan trees.

10 The revenue from the other trees is negligible for the present.

10. There need be no anxiety about the total revenue from toddy as the figures for the ~~last three years~~ last two years 1908-09 and 1909-10 Show an increase over the total for 1906-07, the year prior to the Enhancement. Vide Statement S (Page 35 Appendix).

12 The proposals if sanctioned will however have an important effect in another way In Consequence of the increased temptation to tap trees illicitly, the preventive Establishment will have to be ~~it~~ always on the alert and Govt may have to

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accede to the Excise Comm'r's oft repeated request for a separate detective Establishment.

28/1/11 SD

Lee

B. P. S. The tax on Bagani trees in South Canara is ~~Rs~~ 3/- per half year but as the trees are tapped only once we may take the figure as representing the tax for the whole year. The Excise Comm'r's proposal to raise the tax to ~~Rs~~ 2/8 in figures does not seem to be quite feasible as the Mysore Bagani trees ~~are reported~~ yield it is believed, less quantity of toddy than the trees in S. Canara. It is difficult enough ~~to~~ as it is to guard against the illicit tapping of these trees which are scattered over wide and sometimes inaccessible regions. If the tax is enhanced even more vigilant watching will become necessary

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1. The Excise Commr's proposals may, I think, be approved, but it would perhaps be desirable to give longer notice of the change & bring it into effect from 1st July 1912. A high tree tax & low rental will make the revenue more elastic & enable it to adjust itself to variations in the demand, & remove the element of speculation which exists in the present system of high rentals. As observed by the Asstt Secy, a high tree-tax may offer temptations for illicit tapping but this must be met by greater vigilance. Even as regards Bagani the rental comes to a little more than 2 Rs. per tree* & a rise of 8 as in the tree tax is unlikely to render a resort to illicit-tapping very profitable.

*See pgs 07-08-09

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policy to raise the tree tax on date trees by 4 annas for the present. A further rise can take place a few years hence. But if my colleagues are of opinion that the tax on date trees may at once be raised to Rs 1/12/ I shall be prepared to acquiesce in this view: though the increase may be made in 2 instalments as suggested by me:

16) The tree tax on palmyra might be increased from Rs 1.9.6 to Rs 1/12/. The tax on Cocoanuts may be increased from Rs 2/2/ to Rs 2/8/. & on Dadrasal from 0/8/6 to 0/12/.

17) Regarding Bagani income I am not prepared to support any increase of tax. We may have to revise our policy with regard to the lease of Bagani trees in the Nilwad

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Some concessions may have to be granted. I would not therefore touch the tree tax on Bagani which is high enough as it is.

18 I do not see any great objections to bring the Lahaina rates into force from the 1st July 1911. There is no reason why it should be deferred for a whole year after that date

H.H.H.
21/2/11

Dewan

CBZ
21/2/11

19 I agree generally with the Commissioner.

Sd
21/2/11

20 I do not see Bagani tax alone. The Mercantile may be raised by an increase of Customs duties.

21. The matter is supported by the Executive Engineer.

Sd
25/2/11

To Z Hamilton

CBZ

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22 I agree.

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25/2/11

23 Palmyra is a negligeable

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item and may perhaps be left as it is. (Does one 1-9-6 mean 1-8 tax & 1½ As local cess?) Date might have 1-8 — for the present ~~1-12~~ 1-4. (Have we not to add 1½ As for local cess?) Bagani may be left as it is & Cocoanut raised to Rs. 2-4-0. I would not object even to 2-8-0. if local cess is not added.

G.L.S — Existing rates sanctioned by Govt. in 1905 (vide Govt. order of 1905)

Not necessary — as it has been incorporated in the Rules

28/7/11

H.B.V. II Note information wanted above & submit draft

HBV 1/8/11

Sub.

25 Upto 1907 when a separate levy of local cess was being imposed one anna for every rupee was added. So the item Rs R1-9-6 included R1-8-0 tax and 1½ as local cess. The same was done

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for the other items also. But since (07) the separate levy was given up and 1/17th of the tree-tax and the rent of booth shops was credited towards the Local Funds General, and then when the tree tax was raised the calculation was not made with reference to each item, but the tree tax was raised on independent grounds. If the tree tax on Date & Cocoanut be raised to R 1-8-0 & R 2-8-0 separate additions of 1½ as or 2½ as on account of local cess are not made. Deduction in favour of the Local Funds General will be made as already stated by taking into account the whole revenue under tree tax & shop rentals. 2c. A draft on the lines suggested by the Dewan is sent for orders. A draft of the notification is also put up.

Mrs
4/8/11.

4/3/11 In the draft order put up therewith on date this is enhanced by

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4 annas, Bagani nil Cocoanut by 4 annas, palmyra by 2½ annas and Dadasal by 3½ annas (these latter for ~~Rounding~~ the baked pound prices)

28 (2) Draft notification is also put up.

29. (3) When the rates were last revised in 1909, intimation thereof was given to the Res[t] by means of a Do as it was thought that the alteration in the rates might affect the sales in the C & M St[n] who get their supply of toddy from within the province. The two taps levied on trees tapped by the C & M St. licensees is credited to the Travancore Residents Treasury and so they are not in any way likely to lose by the change which we propose to adopt. ~~Nor are we under~~ ~~in the~~ In this view intimation to the Res[t] is not absolutely necessary but a draft is put up in accordance with precedent.

The official year in C & M St[n] Commences from 1st April and so early intimation will have the effect.

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Lee 7) 6/8/11 SH

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Submitted to His Highness.

32. With a view to increase the proportion of toddy revenue realised in the shape of tree-tax and reduce the proportion of revenue liable to fluctuate as the result of speculation, viz. shop-rentals, the Excise Commissioner has recommended a further increase in the rates of tree-tax on toddy-yielding trees with effect from the 1st July 1911. The last increase was in July 1907.

Paper under disposal.

33. 2. Both the Councillors are of opinion that the tree-tax on bagani trees need not for the present be increased, as the whole question of the revenue from bagani toddy is under separate consideration, but that the rates of tax on other classes of trees may be increased by not more than 4 annas, as shown below:-

Pages 8 – 11 of this notes.

	Present rate.	Proposed rate.
Date -	1-4-0	1- 8-0
Bagani -	2-0-0	2- 0-0
Cocoanut -	2-2-0	2- 6-0
Palmyra -	1-9-6	1-12-0
Dadasal -	0-8-6	0-12-0.

34 3. In the Madras Presidency the rates of

tree-tax vary for different areas, but on the whole they are considerably higher than the rates now proposed for adoption.

4. The rates above proposed may be sanctioned.

5. The Excise Commissioner's proposal to slightly alter the instalments in which the tree-tax is to be paid may also be approved.

Part 5 of the [illegible] under discussion."

F. Amundsen
Clerk

SR 116-CO. (17)

Record of Cases submitted for the Orders of His Highness the Maharaja

Subject.

37. Excise Commissioner's proposal to raise the rate of tree-tax on toddy-yielding trees with effect from 1st July 1911.

16.3.11 1838

No. 538

38.

Order.

Approved

~~KRW~~

21/3/11

Secy

23/3/11

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5 From the Excise Com^r^
no. 8035 Dy 6.4.11
Invites attention W/O no 7E4652 Dy
SR-129-10-2
4.4.11, approving of the draft notification for the Sale of Excise Privileges for 1911-12, and points out that while in the G.O of 27-3-11 the second instalment of tree tax is made payable on the "1st day of the third ~~of the~~ month" following the date of application, the Sale notification as approved puts it down as the "last day of the second month"; requests therefore that necessary correction slips as per draft approved (ie the Sale notification) may be issued at an early date.

Sl no 2 of this file.

39 In connection with the proposal to revise the rates of tree tax, the Excise Com^r^ recommended that the tree tax may be ordered to be recovered in two equal instalments, the first on the date of application the second on the first of the following third month; and this was approved in the G.O of 27-3-11.

Para 5 of his letter Dy 19.1.11 Sl no 1 in the file

Sl no 2

40. Again in submitting the draft notification for the Sale of Excise Privileges for 1911-12, he changed the date fixed for the payment of the second instalment to "the last day of the second month". This was also

P (in the Secret file SR-129-10)

approved

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approved, apparently without reference to the order of 27-3-11. The ground on which the Excise Com^r changed the date was the reducing of the balance of free tax before the close of the month.

41 - In the letter under disposal he points out the discrepancy & requests that necessary corrective slips may be issued in accordance with the date approved in the draft Sale notification i.e the last day of the 2nd month. It is now for consideration as to which of the two dates should stand.

42 ✓ Submitted for orders

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11/4/11 43 The discrepancy is mainly attributable to the way in which the different recommendations were made by the Excise Comm^r within a very short interval. His first proposal* was that the "2nd instalment should be made payable on the "1st day of the following third month". This was approved in the order that issued on the 27th March 11.

44 The suggestion made only two days later that the Excise Comm^r reconsidered & further changed was that the date should be fixed as the last day of the second

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* dated the 29th Jan^y 11

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In a reference made on the 25th to 30th Feb 11, the Excise Comr recommended a further change viz that the second instalment should be made payable "on the last day of the second month" but no allusion was made to the fact that in a previous Communication which was yet pending orders a different date had been recommended. Further this matter was mixed up with a number of other questions in both cases and the result was that the original reference was overlooked when the second reference - which had to be disposed of urgently - came up for disposal.].

4/4. The date in the draft notification which was appd by Govt after the issue of orders on the first reference has to be taken as the correct date.

If appd, the Excise Comr will be informed accordingly - by means of a short order.

11/4/11 SA

Sec) 4/5 The "last day of the second month" may be adopted - [the

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Excise Commr's methods of correspondence are to say the least very peculiar]

46. Please put up a draft Endmt 15887 D Dewan.

15/4/11

Draft shd
AAA
(12/4)
13/4

13/4/11

(Rcd 15/4/11)

15/4/11

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15-4-11.

1st C.R. D Swan 47. may be approved.

A 48. [The haphazard way in which recommendations often contradictory are made makes it incumbent on the Branch concerned to scrutinize the proposals carefully with reference to what has gone before.]

15/4/11

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15-4-11

49. Drafts approved by Dewan
18.4.11.

15/4/11

50. Issue.

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18/4/11

Noted.
M.S. 83
13/4/11.

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18/4/11

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6 To Mercantile Comr
" Dy Comr yrds
" Comptroller
no. H. 5057-66 dt 18.4.11
Direct that the second instalment of the rice tax be received on the last day of the 2nd month

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~~8.~~

6(a) From the H.A. Resident in Mysore
D.O. No: 2537 dt the 27/4/11
Acknowledges the receipt of DO letter 2085 dt the 27/3/11 regarding the revision of the Rules of the tax on toddy yielding trees
called for information.
The Dewan and the Secretary have seen the D.O. already. The file may now be recorded.

M 8/5.
MG 8/5/11

Submitted for info.
SH
11/5/11

Recorded
13/5/11 file SH 13/5/11

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No 5987 / R. 2

OFFICE OF THE EXCISE COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE,

Bangalore, dated 19th January 19 11.

From

H. H. Sparkes, Esquire,

Excise Commissioner in Mysore.

To

C. S. Balasundram Iyer, Esq., B.A.,

Offg: *Secretary to the Government of*
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
General and Revenue Departments.

SIR,

I have the honor to request you to draw the attention of Government to my remarks in the last Administration report, anent the revenue on toddy, vide para 45 of the same.

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2. The tree-tax was introduced in 1898-99 and the tax of R$.1/- per tree remained until 1st July 1907, when it was raised to R$.1-4-0 for date, R$.2/- for Bagani, R$.2-2-0 for Cocoanut, R$.1-9-6 for Plamyra and R$.0-8-6 for Dadasal. In the surrounding Districts of the British territory, the tree-tax was raised in October 1910 as follows In Cudapah which adjoins Kolar, Date R$.2/-, Cocaonut R$.3/- and Palmyra R$.2/-. In Bellary adjoining Chitaldrug and Tumkur, the rates are the same as in Cudapah. In North Arcot and Salem Dis-tricts which adjoin Kolar and Bangalore, the rates are Date R$.2/4/0, Cocoanut R$.3-6-0, and Palmyra R$.2-4-0. In Coimbatore which adjoins Mysore, the rates are Date R$.2-4-0, Cocoanut R$.3-6-0 and Palmyra R$.2-4-0. In South Canara which adjoins Shimoga and Kadur, the rates are Date R$.1-8-0, Cocoanut R$.2-4-0 and Palmyra R$.1-8-0. I append a separate list of the above for ready reference and also an extract from the Fort St: George Gazette showing the rates for the whole of the Presidency.

3. From these it will be observed how very much higher the tree-tax is in British India compared with Mysore, and accounts for the large

From

H. H. S/ Rs, Cycle
Excise Commissioner in Mysore.

To SA 116-10
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C. S. Balak[illegible]
Secretary to the Government of
H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore,
Genl. and Rev. Depts.

Dated 19 January 11

Despatched

Received

General No. 5[illegible]

Enclosure No. 2

SUBJECT.

Proposing that the existing rate of tree-tax on toddy yielding trees in this State be raised with effect from the next official year and that the tree-tax be recovered in two equal instalments.

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large variance shown in appendix G.1 of the Administration Report, from which it will be seen that the percentage of shop rental in 1908-09 was 68 in Mysore and only 47.1 in Madras while the per--centage of tree-tax in Mysore was only 32 to 52.9 in Madras. The main object in Madras is to keep raising the tree-tax until it is seen how much the shop can actually stand and then bring in the -- fixed rentals. The true revenue being derived from the tree-tax, shop-rental is a secondary consideration.

4. As regards the number of trees tapped, the following table shows that the number has considerably increased.-

Year.	Kind of trees.			
	Date	Cocoa -nut.	Bagani	Total.
1906-07	448219	2776	19101	470096
1907-08	468529	3476	16166	488171
1908-09	489073	4286	16449	509808
1909-10	451745 Pal.64	4838	16086	472733

From this, it will be seen that the Province can well sustain a further tree-tax. I would propose that the present tree-tax of R^{s}.1-4-0 for Date, R^{s}.2/- for Bagani, R^{s}.2-2-0 for Cocoanut, R^{s}.1-9-6 for Palmyra and R^{s}.0-8-6 for Dadasal be raised to R^{s}.1-12-0 per tree for Date and Palmyra, R^{s}.2-8-0 per tree for Cocoanut and Bagani and R^{s}.0-12-0 for Dadasal, the rent remaining as it is, viz, 4 annas 3 pies per tree in all cases.

5. I would further propose that the tree tax be paid in two -- equal instalments as follows, instead of one-third and two thirds as at present:- The first instalment on the date of application and the second instalment on the 1st of the following third month, viz, if a man applies for trees on 15th July, the first instalment is to be paid with the application and the second instalment on the 1st October.

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6. If the Government agree with me in these suggestions, I would request that very early orders be passed if the enhanced tax is to be brought into force this next year, as certain arrangements will have to be made with the contractors who have purchased shops on a three years' lease and to whom I would propose to give the option of keeping on their present lease or throwing it up when the shops would be resold by auction.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

H. Excise Commissioner.

Extract from Notification No.15 dated 13th July 1910 of the Board of Revenue, Madras;-

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12- The following shall be the fees payable on account of each tree for the tapping of which license is applied for:-

Districts.	Cocoanut palms(for each half year.)			Sago palms (for each half year)			Palmyra or date palms(for the whole year.			Dadsal(Arenga wightii)palms (for the whole year.		
Ganjam Vizagapatam ... Godavari ... Kistna Guntur ... Nellur ...	1	8	0	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Cudapah Ananthapur Bellary Kurnool(including the Banganapalli State)	3	0	0	6	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
Madras town. Chengleput(Sidapet taluk)	3	12	0	7	8	0	2	8	0	0	0	0
Chingleput(except the Sidapet taluk) North Arcot South Arcot Tanjore Trichinopoly Ramnad Madura Tinnevelly Coimbatore Salem	3	6	0	6	12	0	2	4	0	0	0	0
South Canara	2	4	0	4	8	0	1	8	0	0	12	0
Malabar	2	4	0	4	8	0	1	8	0	0	0	0

Excise Commissioner,
in Mysore.

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Statement showing the rate of tree-tax prevailing in the bordering - districts of the Madras Presidency from the 1st O c t o b e r 19m1 0.

Districts of the Madras Presidency bordering Mysore State.	Cocoanut palms	Sago Palms.	Palmyra or date palms.	Dadsal (Arenga wightii palms.	Names of districts of the Mysore State adjoining the - Madfas Presidency.
Cudapah	3 - -	6 - -	2 - -	- - -	K o l a r.
Bellary	3 - -	6 - -	2 - -	- - -	Chitaldrug and Tumkur.
North Arcot					Kolar and Bangalore
Salem	3 6 -	6 12 -	2 4 -	- - -	Kolar and Bangalore
Coimbatore.. ...					M y s o r e.
South Canara. ...	2 4 -	4 8 -	1 8 -	- 12 - -	Shemoga and Kadur.

Excise Commissioner,
in Mysore.

25/3/11 3-45 pm

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Proceedings of the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

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Date of issue 21-3-11

Signed by W Hingston

READ--

Letter no 5987 of the 10/1/11 from the Excise Commr in Mysore, recommending that the existing rate of tree tax on toddy trees be ~~ORDER THEREON—NIL~~ raised and proposing in order to facilitate collection. that the tree-tax might be collected paid in two equal ~~qrs~~ instalments instead in instalments of one-third and two-thirds a

over

SUBJECT.

at present on the ground basis
& facilitate calculation.

Order Section :-

No: 32 L19:80-9 dy 27-3-11

1. Govt are pleased to direct that the following rate of tree-tax be prescribed in supersession of the existing rate with effect from the 1st July 1911.

Kind of tree	Rate of tree tax.
Date	R1-8-0.
Bagani	Rs 2-0-0
Cocoanut	Rs 2-6-0
Palmyra	R 1-12-0.
Dadasal	R 0-12-0.

2. The proposal to collect the tree-tax in two equal ~~monthly~~ instalments, the 1st instalment becoming ~~paid~~ payable on the date of application and the 2nd instalment on the 1st of the following

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

(*Continuation Sheet draft form*).

to be continued as given effect to for 2 or two years to 31/3/11

third month, is approved.

3. The contractors who have purchased the toddy shops on a three years' leases may be given the option of keeping on their present lease subject to the payment of the enhanced rates of licence fees, or of surrendering them, the shops in this case being resold in auction.

4. A notification prescribing the revised rates of fees will be published in the Mysore Gazette for information.

giving it up at the end of the current official year.

Submitted.
May this be Printed?
Yes

KRM
9/3/11

Sd/-
Offg Secretary to Govt.

To
The Excise Commr in Mysore.
The Comptroller to Govt.
& The Deputy Commrs of Districts.

Sd/-
4/3/11

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Hon
23/3/11

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File No. 116 to

Serial No. 3

Diary No. of letter replied to 2940

No. Notification No. 49 dt 27-3-11

General and Revenue Secretariat

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To

The Compiler, Mysore Gazette

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Date of issue

Signed by

Under Section 24 of the Mysore Excise Regulation V of 1901 and in exercise of all the powers enabling them in this behalf the Govt of H.H. the Maharaja of Mysore are pleased to prescribe the following revised rates of Cess-tax in supersession of existing rates with

over.

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effect from the 1st July 1911.

Kind of tree	Rate of Tree Tax
Date	Rs 1-8-0
Bagani	Rs 2-0-0
Cocoanut	Rs 2-6-0
Palmyra	Rs 1-12-0.
Dadasal.	Re 0-12-0.

By Order.

Sd/ M S Secy to Govt

Copy of the above forwarded to the Inspr General of Forests in Mysore with reference to his letter No: 5987/8 dated 15/11/11.

4/3/11

List of enclosures,

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Examined by

Mr 83
4/3/11

To the Conservator Mysore Gazette for publication in 3 successive issues in French III thereof with a request to supply 50 copies to the Director of the G.R.S. and to the Inspr Conservators of Forests Mysore Division

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File No. 116-10

Serial No. 4.

Bangalore

27 March 11.

Diary No. of letter replied to

D. C. No. 2085

No.

General and Revenue Secretariat

(S. R.)

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To

Date of issue

Signed by

My Dear Sir

Please refer to
~~I am directed to~~
~~invite a reference to~~ the
Madhava Rau's D.O. letter ~~No.~~
dated 6th May 1909 regarding
the revision of the rates of the tax
on toddy yielding trees in the
State.

The Excise Commr in Mysore
has now recommended that
the rates fixed in 1909 may
be further enhanced by an
~~increase of eight annas all~~
~~round~~ and the Durbar
have decided
~~intend to adopt~~ his proposal
and prescribe the following
revised rates with Effect from
the 1st July 1911.

over.

SUBJECT.

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Kind of tree	Rate	
~~Cocoanut~~ Date palm	~~Rs~~ 1-8-0	Increase of 4 annas
Bagasse	2-4-0	no increase
Cocoanut	2-6-0	Increase of 4 annas
Palmyra	1-12-0	" — 2½ "
Dadasal	0-12-0	" — 3½ "

Yours sincerely

~~Lawe~~

(Stewart)

To

The Hon'ble Col Hugh Daly C.S.I., C.I.E.

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No 8035

OFFICE OF THE EXCISE COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE,

Bangalore, dated.....6th..April.....*19*11

From

H. H. Sparkes, Esquire,

Excise Commissioner in Mysore.

SR. 116-10
Sno. 5

To

C. S. Balasundram Iyer, Esq., B.A.,

Offg: *Secretary to the Government of*
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
General and Revenue Departments.

SIR,

Adverting to Government Order No. 4652 / S.R. 129-10-2 dated 3/4.4.11 approving, with certain modifications, the draft Notification for the sale of Excise and Opium privileges for 1911-12, I have the honor to point out that in Government Order No. 4980-9/S.R. 116-10-3, dated 25/27.3.11, enhancing the rate of tree-tax with effect from 1st July 1911, the date of payment of the 2nd instalment of tree-tax is notified as being the "1st day of the third month" of the application, while the "last day of the 2nd month" is approved in the draft Notifica-tion. It is, therefore, requested that the necessary correction slips as per draft approved may be kindly caused to be issued at an early date.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

for Excise Commissioner.

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19 11.

From

H. H. Sparkes Esquire

Excise Commissioner in Mysore.

To

A. S. Balasundaram Iyer B.A.,

Offg. *Secretary to the Government of*
H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore,
Genl. and Rev. Depts.

Dated

Despatched 8 — 4 — 11

Received

General No.

Enclosure No.

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Requesting that the necessary correction slips as per draft Notification for the sale of Excise and Opium principles for 1911–12 approved, may be kindly caused to be issued at an early date.

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Serial No. 6

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Proceedings of the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.
(S.R.)

, the 19

Date of issue

Signed by

READ--

G.O.no H 4980-9 dy 27-3-11
SR. 116-10-2

approving of the proposal of the Excise Comr to recover the first instalment of tree tax on the date of application for the trees and the second instalment on the 18th day of the following third month

ORDER THEREON.--No.

Order thereon no

No H 5857-66 dy 18 April 1911 In modification of the order read above, Govt direct that the second instalment of the tax

over

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re) recovered on the last day of

the second month.

CSB 15/4/14 Print

Addl Secy

To. The Excise Com

.. Comptroller

.. Dycom (PWS)

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D. O. No. 2448

D.O. No. 2537

Mysore Residency,

Bangalore, dated 27th April 1911.

D24390

My dear Dewan Sahib

I am desired to acknowledge, with thanks, the receipt of your D.O. letter No.2085, dated the 27th March 1911, regarding the revision of the rates of tree tax on toddy yielding trees in the Mysore State.

Yours Sincerely

M B Wathen

T. Ananda Row, Esq., C.I.E.,

Dewan of Mysore.

K.M.
26.4.11.

(a) From the A. Resident in Mysore.
D.O No 2537 dt 22-4-11

Acknowledges the receipt of 81(4).